

BRAINERD DAILY DISPATCH.

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PRICE TWO CENTS.

E. C. BANE

Christmas Goods

And Where to Get Them

Bane's Grocery and Meat Market

is loaded down with HOLIDAY GOODS. New Store, New Goods. No stale goods kept over from last year, but all are FRESH and PURE.

A FEW OF THE GOODS

Groceries.

Fine box cigars
12 in box..... **55c**
Fine box LaGon-
doller, 25 in box.... **\$2**
Fine Candy
per lb, 40 to.... **10c**
Dates
per lb..... **10c**
Oranges
per doz, 40 to.... **35c**

Meats.

A large assortment of nuts and grapes, pure cider, maple syrup, olives in bottle and bulk, flour, feed and shorts. We pay 25c for fresh butter and eggs.

Turkeys, Chickens, geese and ducks. Oysters, celery, lettuce, radishes and onions. Christmas beef, veal and mutton, extra grade.

Ground bone to make the hens lay. Highest cash price paid for hides.

Home Meat & Provision Co.

BIG DISPLAY

—AT—

THE BIG STORE.

THE Christmas purchaser finds little trouble in selecting beautiful, acceptable and very reasonable presents at our store.

You buy Quality in every article we sell you, and our name on the package is a guarantee of the excellence of your taste and choice.

We carry a large stock of Holiday Presents, all fresh from the market. Presents for every member of the family, old or young.

But the main feature of our goods is the Low Price. Our prices are in reach of all. Come here, and we will make it a pleasure for you to buy presents.

B. KAATZ & SON.

203-205 Kindred Street,

East Brainerd.

NO FORMAL OFFER YET

PRESIDENT HAS NOT BEEN REQUESTED TO ARBITRATE VENEZUELAN DISPUTE.

FAVORS THE HAGUE COURT

Mr. Roosevelt Emphatically of the Opinion That Matters in Controversy Should Be Referred to That Tribunal—He Will Accept if the Powers Insist, Though Reluctant to Undertake the Task.

Washington, Dec. 23.—President Roosevelt has not accepted the position of arbitrator of the Venezuelan controversy. In fact, when the official day closed he had not received formally or officially a request from the European powers that he act as arbitrator for the dispute. These statements are made on the highest authority.

In an informal manner the president has been notified that the European powers intimately concerned in the present South American difficulty desire that he should undertake the responsibility of acting as arbitrator of the points at issue between them and Venezuela. Thus far, they merely have been taking "soundings" with a view, probably, of ascertaining how he would receive a formal proffer to act as arbitrator. The president, as soon as he received the first intimation that he was desired to be arbitrator of the Venezuelan controversy, expressed emphatically his judgment that the matters to be arbitrated should be referred to The Hague tribunal. His view of the suggestions made has been conveyed to the European powers, together with a strong presentation of his reasons for the view he holds. No response of a formal nature to these representations has been received.

The president and Secretary Hay had a long conference during the day after the former's return from his Virginia trip. They carefully went over the situation as it had developed since Saturday, but it is understood that nothing has arisen during the past forty-eight hours to warrant the president in changing his opinion as to the undesirability of his acceptance of the position of arbitrator. So far as can be learned, no specific returns have been advanced by the European powers for objecting to a reference of the Venezuelan questions to the arbitration of The Hague tribunal. It is held by the administration that the tribunal at The Hague was constituted to arbitrate

Just Such Controversies

as that which has arisen between Venezuela and the powers and that it would be desirable from every view point that the present dispute should go to that tribunal for adjudication. How strong the objections which Great Britain, Germany and Italy have to referring the Venezuela difficulty to The Hague tribunal is not known to the administration at this time. Even the nature of the objections, if there be any, is not known. The negotiations looking to the selection of an arbitrator have not progressed sufficiently yet to develop such objections as the powers may have.

The acceptance by the powers of the principle of arbitration as applied to the Venezuelan question is a matter of great gratification to the president and his cabinet. That all the powers have intimated, too, that they would prefer the president should arbitrate the present dispute is taken as a notable compliment to the president person-

ally and to his administration. The hope of both the president and his advisers, however, that while there is precedent for his acceptance of the post of arbitrator, the powers will consent to a reference of the controverted matters in the Venezuelan question to the tribunal at The Hague.

While it is recognized by the president's closest advisers and by the president himself that some unpleasant possibilities might attend his performance of the duties of arbitrator of the pending Venezuelan difficulties, his friends assert that he will shirk no responsibility that he may deem it his duty to undertake, but will accept if the powers should insist on it, though he is very reluctant to do so.

FOOD SUPPLY SHORT.

Caracas People Have Only Enough to Last a Fortnight.

Caracas, Dec. 23.—The blockade is proving prejudicial to American trade. Fifteen importing houses in Caracas have stopped placing orders in the United States. Boulton & Co. are the only importers of American flour who have declined to increase the price of this article. The people benefit by this firm's action. It is estimated that the food supply in Caracas will not last much more than a fortnight.

GUNBOAT ELUDES CAPTURE.

Venezuela Still Retains One Small Fighting Machine.

Caracas, Dec. 23.—The Venezuelan gunboat Miranda, the best vessel of the fleet, is still successful in escaping German pursuit. She is now in the most southern part of Lake Maracaibo near La Ceiba and beyond the reach of the allies. The German cruiser Falke made an attempt to cross the bar at Maracaibo without a pilot, but desisted in view of the danger. She is now cruising outside the bar.

ITALIAN REPLY READY.

Will Be Given to the American Ambassador at Once.

Rome, Dec. 23.—The reply of the Italian government concerning the proposal that President Roosevelt arbitrate the Venezuelan issues will be handed to Ambassador Meyer during the day. The Italian communication will express views identical with those held by Great Britain and Germany.

FRAUDULENT USE OF MAIL.

Chicago Man Given One Year in the County Jail.

Chicago, Dec. 23.—William W. Bristol was sentenced during the day in the federal court to a year in the county jail for fraudulent use of the mails in connection with the Surety Guarantee and Trust company, of which he was manager.

John R. Prime, former adjutant general of Iowa, was the victim in the case in which Bristol was convicted. General Prime claimed to have been swindled out of \$1,500 through the false representations made by Bristol as to the financial standing of the concern.

OVER A HORSE SALE.

North Carolina State Senator Killed by His Brother.

Asheville, N. C., Dec. 23.—Zeb Wilson, recently elected state senator from Yancey county, was killed during the day at Burnsville by his brother, Hiram. It is reported that the brothers quarrelled in connection with the sale of a horse.

Violated the Postal Laws.

Detroit, Dec. 23.—Doctors James M. Peebles, Walter T. Boho and Charles M. Green of the People's Institute of Health, Battle Creek, Mich., were convicted by a jury in the United States district court here during the day of violating the postal laws. A thirty days' stay of proceedings was granted.

A. F. Sorenson,

Watchmaker

and Jeweler.

Cheapest place in the City to buy

Holiday Presents.

Big Stock of Ladies' and Gent's watches, and a fine line of Jewelry to select from.

Just Arrived

A Fine line of Silverware, all New Goods, also as fine a stock of Sterling Silver goods as can be found in the city.

Goods are Bought for Cash; Hence can be Sold Cheaper Than Elsewhere.

Don't buy anything in the Jewelry line without seeing our goods and getting our prices.

A. F. SORENSON,

207 7th St. So., Next to Graham's Music Store

HAS FLED FROM HER HOME.

Crown Princess of Saxony Missing Since Dec. 11.

Dresden, Saxony, Dec. 23.—The Crown Princess of Saxony fled from her home on the night of Dec. 11. The Dresden Journal says: "The princess, in a state of intense mental excitement, suddenly deserted her family at Salzburg and went abroad. The Saxon court functions for the winter, including the New Year's reception, have been cancelled."

The foregoing paragraph in the official journal, which was inserted by order of the king and Crown Prince of Saxony, has turned into truth what, for several days past, has been regarded as an incredible tale. The Crown Princess of Saxony, surrounded by her ladies in waiting and numerous attendants and servants of the royal household, has vanished so utterly that the police of every kingdom of Europe have for ten days been unable to trace her. The official announcement was made in order to obtain the aid of the general public in finding the princess and because the court fiction that she preferred to remain in retirement at Salzburg rather than to return to her husband and children at Dresden cannot longer be maintained.

The disappearance of the princess doubtless will cause the circulation of many stories. It is already related that she eloped, but includes that

here have brought out nothing to substantiate or support this statement.

It is officially explained that the princess' disappearance is due to mental derangement. There is little doubt, however, that it was caused by domestic discord growing out of her husband's relations with an actress of the Dresden court theatre. It is asserted here that the princess frequently threatened flight on this account and that she was incensed at her father, the Grand Duke of Tuscany, for counselling her to forgive her husband. She is said to be enclenche.

It is rumored here that the princess was accompanied by the French tutor of her children.

QUARANTINE REMOVED.

No Foot and Mouth Disease Exists in Connecticut.

Washington, Dec. 23.—The quarantine against Connecticut on account of the epidemic of foot and mouth disease in New England was removed formally during the day by an order issued by Secretary Wilson. The order takes immediate effect and permits cattle, sheep and other live stock to be shipped out of the state without restriction. A most rigid investigation by a corps of experts working under the personal direction of Dr. Salmon, chief of the bureau of animal industry, has failed to reveal the existence of a single case of the disease in Connecticut.



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THE BUMPOF BENEVOLENCE should develop about this time. The spirit of

CHRISTMAS

should stir the gift-buying desire within one and prompt an early visit to this store.

The holiday stock is ready now. There's an unsurpassed gathering of beautiful things in New Silverware, exquisite pieces of home and foreign art. Novelties for dresser and desk.

WATCHES AND CLOCKS,

besides a cosmopolitan gathering of precious stones and gems, of Jewelry—rings, pins, chains, etc.

S. R. ADAIR,

THE CIRCLE FRONT,

205 SOUTH 6TH STREET

THE PIONEER JEWELER

Begs to announce to the general public that his Stock is now complete, a few articles of which are numerated below:

Diamonds, loose and mounted. Jewelry, all the latest designs in solid gold and filled. Lace Pins, Rings, Scarf Pins, Studs, Chains, Cuff Buttons, Secret Lockets, Fobs, Bracelets, Watches in solid gold, Silver, gold filled and enameled, Clocks in gold and Bronze, China and enameled effects. Sterling Silver, beautiful designs in Tea, Dessert and Table Spoons.



IN THE SHADOW

of our store are hundreds of brilliant things to illuminate and adorn a costume. These are not alone the

DIAMONDS AND OTHER PRECIOUS STONES

but exquisite little articles of Jewelry and novelties which have a beauty and charm out of all proportion to their cost.

We offer these things on the score of merit.

HEADQUARTERS XMAS 1902.

Oysters, Olive, Cold Meat, Pickle, and Table Forks. Hollow Ware in Tea Sets, Chafing Dishes, Fruit Bowls, and Cake Baskets. Cut Glass at prices that will sell themselves.

ART WARE

In Vases, Jardinieres, Candlesticks, etc., etc.

EBONY GOODS

A larger and better line than ever.

Mexican Hand Carved Leather,

Quality and Prices Guaranteed.



SEEN TO ADVANTAGE

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CHRISTMAS

presents of a useful character is this display of

LADIES' AND GENTLEMEN'S GOLD WATCHES,

boys' Silver Watches, handsome Jewelry and Gold and Silver novelties of every description for both ornament and use.

There is no more interesting stock of

JEWELRY

to be seen anywhere and no more interesting prices.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES.

Mrs. G. W. Wolfe, of Motley, is in the city.

Judge J. T. Sanborn went to St. Paul yesterday afternoon on business.

J. A. Kirkwood, of Duluth, is calling on the drug trade in the city today.

Patrick McKeon and his son P. J. McKeon are in the city today on business.

Attorney Ebner returned today from Minneapolis and left for Aitkin, his home.

Gene Smith, the Seal of Minnesota man, was in the city today calling on the trade.

Harry Rutledge has returned from Minneapolis where he visited for a short time.

William Miller and Robert Fraser left this afternoon for Minneapolis to spend Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Howard left this afternoon for Minneapolis to spend the holidays.

George Merritt, of Deerwood, was in the city for a short time yesterday afternoon on business.

Andrew Watz left this afternoon for St. Paul where he expects to make his home in the future.

Mr. and Mrs. Canfield, of Walker, are in the city spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Pearce.

Justin Smith arrived here from St. Paul this morning from Minneapolis to spend Christmas at home.

It is said that sleighing was never better than it is at the present time. As a result there is now plenty of wood on the market.

F. J. Murphy, the popular Laurel street plumber, returned this morning from the Leech Lake reservation where he has been doing some work for the government.

The turkey market took a great upward shot today, and this festive bird now brings 22 cents a pound and dealers claim that the price will go to 25 cents by tomorrow.

John McGivern was able to be down town yesterday afternoon for the first time since he was injured in the wreck on the M. & I. near Bemidji. He is feeling very well and will be able to go to work again in a short time.

This afternoon the remains of Gladys Viola McDonald age 14 years, were shipped to Aitkin for burial. She died at the Northern Pacific Sanitarium last night from peritonitis. She was brought to Brainerd from Aitkin about a week ago and it was hoped that her condition would finally permit of an operation, but she grew weaker and an operation could not be performed.

Hon. A. F. Ferris left this afternoon for St. Paul on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Parish, of Pequot, returned from Minneapolis this afternoon.

A. McGregor, of St. Cloud, came in from the south this afternoon on business.

Supt. Cook, of the Brainerd Lumber Co., returned from Minneapolis this afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Crane left this afternoon for Minneapolis where they will spend the holidays.

Tom Neary, of Park Rapids, was in the city this morning on business returning home this afternoon.

Hiram Smith returned to his home in Sauk Center this afternoon after transacting business in the city.

J. E. Gaspard, stenographer for J. R. Smith, left this afternoon for St. Cloud to spend the holidays.

E. A. Hasty came in from Minneapolis this afternoon and will leave tomorrow for the up river country.

The Christmas exercises at the First Congregational church this year will be on Thursday (Christmas) evening.

Earl P. Mallory came up from the university at Minneapolis this afternoon and will spend the holidays with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Bennett left this afternoon for Minneapolis where they will spend the Christmas vacation with their relatives.

Miss Milicent Mahlum is home from Pelican Rapids to spend the holidays with her parents. She is teaching school at Pelican Rapids.

Mrs. May Blake, of Hastings, who has been in the city to attend the wedding of her daughter to F. L. Barnes, left this afternoon for her home.

Miss Gilkerson, amanuensis for Dr. Courtney at the Northern Pacific Sanitarium, left this afternoon for her home in Minneapolis to spend the holidays.

Mrs. J. J. Neary and son and J. L. Neary left this afternoon for Eau Claire, Wis., where they will visit until after Christmas.

Little Miss Ada Webb arrived in the city this afternoon from Anoka and she will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Eastman through the holidays.

Ordinary household accidents have no terrors when there's a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil in the medicine chest. Heals burns, cuts, bruises, sprains. Instant relief.

Mrs. H. H. Barber and two daughters, Misses Maud and Mary, came in from Minneapolis this afternoon and will spend the holidays with friends and relatives.

Little Miss Lillian Nelson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Nelson, returned this afternoon from the Faribault school for the blind, and will spend her vacation here.

G. M. Walker expects to leave tonight for the west again after a visit in the city with his people. He is going to move from Missoula, Mont., to Sandpoint, Idaho, to engage in business.

The Salvation Army pot is on the street open for donations. See that it gets some of your silver. Also remember that donations of any kind can be left at their hall for distribution to the poor. Christmas day.

Shortage in Turkey.

It would seem that the turkey situation is the same generally as it is in Brainerd. The following is taken from the Duluth Herald:

"The wholesale turkey market in Duluth showed a decline of 1 cent today, 19 cents being asked for turkeys on Michigan street today against 20 cents asked Saturday. At the retail markets the birds are still bringing 22 cents. One of the local dealers in poultry said today that the decline of a cent could hardly be accounted for unless the demand had let up a little and shaded the price, and the scarcity of turkeys still continues. Advice from the St. Paul houses this morning held out a prospect for an advance in the wholesale market tomorrow of 1 cent. It is claimed by the dealers in poultry that the demand for turkeys will be heavier from tomorrow up to Thursday and that a further advance will depend entirely on this demand. If it is heavy enough, still further advances will be made in prices, while if it continues steady, the prospects are that prices will remain about as they are at present. The commission men and poultry dealers claim that the shortage in turkeys is being felt in the markets all over the state. It is also claimed that any sales of turkeys from the retail market under 20 cents are birds that have been brought into the city by the farmers in this city who received 15 or 16 cents a pound."

We have large quantities of holly and evergreen on hand. Home Provision and Meat Market, E. C. BANE, Prop. 172t1

Christmas Postoffice Hours.

The general delivery window at the postoffice on Christmas day will be open from 9 until 10 a. m., and immediately after the arrival and distribution of the noon mails.

The carriers will make one delivery throughout the city and that in the forenoon.

The carrier's windows will be open in the afternoon immediately following the distribution of the mail.

No money order or registry business will be transacted. 172t2 N. H. INGERSOLL, P. M.

Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup seems especially adapted to the needs of the children. Pleasant to take; soothing in its influence; it is the remedy of all remedies for every form of throat and lung diseases.

We have a very choice stock of holly and evergreen, just the thing to decorate with for Christmas. Call at Home Meat & Provision Market, E. C. BANE, Prop. 172t1

Saved at Grave's Brink.

"I know I would long ago have been in my grave," writes Mrs. S. H. Newsom, of Decatur Ala., "if it had not been for Electric Bitters. For three years I suffered untold agony from the worst forms of indigestion, waterbrash, stomach and bowel dyspepsia. But this excellent medicine did me a world of good. Since using it I can eat heartily and have gained 35 pounds." For indigestion, loss of appetite, stomach liver and kidney troubles Electric Bitters are a positive, guaranteed cure. Only 50c at McFadden Drug Co. and H. P. Dunn & Co. drug store.

MUST REDUCE ITS PASSENGER RATES.

State Railway Commission Files Decision in Case of Minnesota & International.

FOUR CENT RATE TOO HIGH.

W. H. Hallett, of Pequot, Wins His Suit to Have the Rate Reduced.

The state railway and warehouse commission yesterday announced its decision in the complaint of W. H. Hallett, of Pequot, Crow Wing county, against the Minnesota & International railway, says the Pioneer Press, which was filed with the commission last April. Mr. Hallett charged that the Minnesota & International did not furnish proper passenger equipment for doing a passenger business and that it charged 4 cents a mile, which is contrary to state law. The first hearing of the case was held at Brainerd on Oct. 2. The commission inspected the car service and roadbed between Brainerd and Smiley, and found that there was no cause for complaint on the score of service. The hearing was then adjourned to Dec. 10, in this city.

The decision rendered yesterday finds that the road charges 4 cents a mile, while any rate above 3 cents is unreasonable. The company is ordered, therefore, to reduce its rate to 3 cents and is forbidden to charge more.

A lazy liver makes a lazy man. Burdock Blood Bitters is the natural and never failing remedy for a lazy liver.

Buy him one of our nice suits or overcoats for an Xmas gift. You can't give anything nicer. LINNEMAN & CARLSON.

TO THE SENATE ONLY.

House Will Have No Chance at Cuban Reciprocity Treaty.

Washington, Dec. 23.—President Roosevelt has let it be known that before he reached his decision to send the Cuban reciprocity treaty to the senate and not to the house, he consulted freely the leaders of the house and the members of his cabinet. After mature consideration, it was determined that it was unnecessary to send the Cuban treaty to the house, notwithstanding the fact that it affected the revenues of the government. Precedents were looked up carefully. It was found that previous reciprocity treaties had been sent directly to the senate for ratification. This was notably true of the Newfoundland treaty, which is regarded as being on all fours with the Cuban treaty. No objection ever was raised to the consideration by the senate alone of that treaty.

A Furniture Party.

In some of the English periodicals devoted to feminine interests the exchange department is a feature. All sorts of things are offered for exchange and the swapping opportunities would delight the soul of an old fashioned Yankee. The following advertisement which appeared lately is out of the common: "Furniture—An antique Welsh oak dresser and six Chippendale chairs would entertain a Sheraton sideboard." In commenting upon this advertisement a London paper says: "Is this a new invitation to a furniture party? We know that servants in the absence of the family are said to occasionally receive their friends in the drawing room, but it would really be expensive if our chairs, tired of being sat upon so long, were to insist upon entertaining strange and heavy sideboards."—Exchange.

CHRISTMAS.

Our Grocery line is already for the Holidays.

Every thing You could wish for in the line of Eatables.

No better Place in the City to order Your Fancy FRUITS, CANDY and NUTS than at the

CASH DEPARTMENT STORE.

Oranges, per dozen.....	30c
Lemons, per dozen.....	20c
Celery, 3 bunches for.....	10c
Grapes, per basket.....	25c
Apples, per peck.....	25c
Matalaga Italian Grapes, per lb.....	18c
Fancy Dutches Pears, per dozen.....	20c
Fancy mixed sugar candies, per lb.....	10c
Fancy mixed nuts, per lb.....	15c
Sweet Potatoes, 3 pounds for.....	10c
Cranberries, hand grown, 3 quarts for.....	25c
Bananas, extra large, per dozen.....	20c
Sweet Cider, extra good, per gallon.....	25c

Money cheerfully refunded if goods are not as represented.

L. J. CALE,

Goods Delivered Promptly.

'Phone Call 75.

C. B. WHITE'S Hardware Store.

We have not got a department store, but we have got as complete a stock of

Builders and General Hardware, Sash, Doors, Paint, Oils and Varnishes, Nails, Paper, Wire, Stoves and Ranges, and everything that goes to make up a first-class Hardware Store as can be found north of St. Paul.

Get our Prices and Compare with other Stores.

D. M. Clark & Co., carry the largest line of trunks, grips and telescopes in the city.

D. M. Clark & Co., carry a line of wood heaters from \$2.50 to \$30.00, sold on easy terms.

BUY YOUR CHRISTMAS GOODS OF

E. S. HOUGHTON, JEWELER AND OPTICIAN.

Best and Largest Stock in the City.

Cut Glass—Finest line in the city, all the latest cuts and patterns. Nothing better for a holiday present.

Sterling Silver—All the latest novelties in Sterling Silver, and at a Lower Price than they can be bought for elsewhere.

Full Line of Ebony Goods—Containing all the latest novelties, stock as complete as can be found in the largest cities.

Plated Ware—The largest stock of plated goods ever brought to the city, all new, gotten for the holiday trade.

China Ware—An elegant line of Haviland China ware just received. Beautiful patterns and artistic designs in plain and decorated ware. You should see it before buying elsewhere.

Diamonds and Watches, Clocks and Jewelry, a full and complete stock of each.

Given Away Free... A fine leather Card Case with each purchase of \$3.00

Don't Forget

E. S. HOUGHTON,

The Optician.

STORE FULL
Things You Need

Our stock of goods is so near complete as a stock can be and best of all it is new. Nothing out of date, shop worn or stale.

—AS TO PRICES—

It is conceded by a large majority that they are the lowest. We only ask you to call and see for yourself. Here are a few samples:

- \$5.00 Walking Skirts
- \$3.85.**
- Dress Skirts
- \$1.50.**
- Heavy Fleece Lined Underwear
- 45c.**
- 10-4 Blankets
- 49c.**
- 10 per cent off on all Shoes and Over-shoes this week.

GROCERIES:

- 8 lbs Cream of Wheat
- 25c.**
- Barrel of Good Apples
- \$2.00.**
- 1 lb Fresh Coconut
- 15c.**
- 2 Cans 20c Salmon
- 25c.**
- Gallon Can Plums
- 25c.**
- Gallon Can Rhubarb
- 25c.**
- Just received a new lot of Rolston's Breakfast Food. Also my winter Can Goods. Special prices in case lots.

M. J. REILLY.

209-211 7th St. So.

"Gold Dust" flour is guaranteed to be the best brand in the market.

Water colors, pastels, etchings, oil paintings, carbon's, platins and a host of others too numerous to mention, at Miss Canan's, open evenings.

Call at Miss Canan's and see the elegant line of pictures for the holiday trade. Open evenings. 161

Trunks and Grips at D M. Clark's.

That difficult problem, what shall I buy for a Christmas present, finds an easy solution at the store of H. P. Dunn & Co.

Moberg's closing out sale of clothing means 100 men's fine suits that sell at \$12 and \$15, your choice only \$7.50.

The latest thing in hats just arrived at Linneman & Carlson.

We show a beautiful line of neckties, mufflers, hosiery and suspenders for suitable Xmas gifts. LINNEMAN & CARLSON.

IS INJURED IN LEAP FROM CAR WINDOW

A Man by the Name of Alex Las-seky, Who Gives His Home as Little Falls,

WAS QUITE SERIOUSLY HURT.

Had an Idea That he was Being Pursued and he Grew Rest-less and Jumped.

The train crew on No. 13 running from Duluth to Staples had a great time last night with a man by the name of Alex Lassey, who became obstreperous, and along the route jumped off the train twice, the last time his fool act resulting in severe injuries from which he may never recover.

It seems that Conductor Whittle's attention was called to a racket in one of the toilet rooms when the train was near Sawyer. He stepped inside the room and was horrified to learn that one of his passengers had actually leaped from the window, the train going at a rate of about thirty miles an hour.

Of course the train was stopped and backed up and a posse soon located the man in the woods near by. He was brought back to the train and they sped on their journey. The man said that he had had trouble at Duluth and he thought the men who were after him were on the train.

Everything went smoothly enough until No. 13 had nearly reached Staples and here again Alex got hasty and jumped from the train before it was stopped, this time breaking his leg and otherwise quite seriously injuring himself about the hips and body.

The man's home is at Little Falls and he had a ticket from West Superior to Little Falls when the conductor collected the fares.

COMMITTEE GOT TOGETHER.

The Purchasing Committee was in Session Last Night and all Members Were Given Voice.

Last night there was a meeting of the purchasing committee of the city council, the first in fact that has been held since the meeting of the city council when Alderman Robertson sent out the edict that unless he was consulted in the matter of city purchases that he would ask that his name be stricken from the rolls. It is said that Chairman Rowley will in the future call this committee together on every pretense with the hope that no one will feel "sighted," but it is thought they will all get sick of this for many times the purchases are made of small articles which perhaps does not involve over \$3 or \$4, and those who have to spend their time getting together in meeting to consider these small items will get awfully sick.

Found-A ladies pocket book containing a ticket to Minneapolis and return good to Feb. 19, also some money. Call on E. W. Lynch. 1171

BARNES--BLAKE.
Popular Young Business Man United in Marriage to Miss Nellie Blake. Also Well Known.

A brief announcement was made yesterday of the marriage of Mr. F. L. Barnes and Miss Nellie Blake, which occurred on Saturday evening at the M. E. parsonage. Mr. Barnes is one of the proprietors of the Antlers hotel, he and E. K. Woodin being interested together in the business. Miss Blake, the bride, is well known in this city having made her home here for some time. She is a cousin of Mrs. E. K. Woodin. After the marriage had been solemnized on Saturday evening, the evening was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Woodin and a delightful wedding supper was served.

THE DISPATCH joins with numerous friends in extending the young couple best wishes.

Kid Glove Sale
\$1.25 gloves in all the lighter shades, only 98c at Moberg's store.

MRS. RUPERT WAS INDIGNANT.

Was Not Notified, She Says, of the Death of Her Husband, J. A. Rupert.-- She is Anxious Now.

Mrs. J. A. Rupert arrived in the city yesterday from the north and she at once started in to investigate the death of her husband. She was married to the man who lost his life by being crushed at the Northern Pacific shops a few days ago, but she left him, it is said, the first or second day after the wedding. Now she comes in and seems to be very anxious about him and the facts surrounding his death. G. M. Daniels has been appointed administrator of the estate.

Mrs. Rupert was very indignant to think that she had not been wired regarding the death of her husband, but it is presumed that no one thought she cared whether he was dead or alive.

A Million Voices

Could hardly express the thanks of Homer Hall, of West Point Ia. Listen why: A severe cold had settled on his lungs, causing a most obstinate cough. Several physicians said he had consumption, but could not help him. When all thought he was doomed he began to use Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption and writes "it completely cured me and saved my life. I now weigh 227 lbs." It's positively guaranteed for Coughs Colds and Lung troubles. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at McFadden Drug Co. and H. P. Dunn & Co.

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FLANAGAN DIVORCE
A FIERCE BATTLE

A Dispute Now Arises as to Who Should Have Custody of Children.

FLANAGAN BRINGS CIVIL ACTION

To Recover His Property Said to Have Been Secured by "Blandishment".

According to the St. Paul Dispatch the Flanagan divorce suit in St. Paul before Judge Kelley is a fierce legal battle. The court has had to settle the matter of the custody of the children and now W. H. Flanagan brings a civil action against his wife's mother to recover some Brainerd property, which includes the house and two lots on the corner of Ninth and Kingwood streets. The following is taken from the Dispatch: "Judge Kelley has filed an order in the divorce suit brought by Florence M. Flanagan against William H. Flanagan, in which order the court undertakes to settle one of those disputes which are continually arising in such cases, regarding the children. The plaintiff has the custody of the two boys, one of whom she had sent to the school for the deaf at Faribault, while the other is with her at Minneapolis. Flanagan complained that he was not to see the children. The judge says that he may take the boy, Harold, from Minneapolis on the afternoon of Jan. 4, and on every alternate Sunday afternoon from 2 o'clock until 6 o'clock.

"With the consent of the school authorities he may have the boy Harvey visit him in St. Paul, Dec. 24 to 28, and must return him promptly. The substance of the pleadings in the divorce suit has been published. They show a bitter fight.

"The plaintiff complains that the husband has been guilty of cruel conduct. She says that one day he raised an axe above her head and threatened to chop her in two. She left him in August, 1899. A reconciliation followed, with a promise from him to treat her in a 'decent manner' but soon, she says, he returned to his former ways and 'threw up old scores' at her. He threatened to 'shut' her, not by compelling her to shoot the chutes, but by firing on her with a gun. She is 29 and he is 45 years of age. Mr. Flanagan, in his answer, says that his wife has been unfaithful. He brought an action for a divorce from her on the ground of adultery, but dismissed it and they again lived together. Flanagan has brought a suit against his wife's mother, Mrs. Martha West, in which he complains that his wife and Mrs. West entered into a conspiracy whereby and unlawfully and by using 'blandishment' they induced him to convey to Mrs. West lots 1 and 2, block 78, First addition to Brainerd. He sues to recover the property."

Bowling Contest Tonight.

This evening the Metropolitan Bowling club will do battle with the high school this evening at the Metropolitan Bowling alley. The high school will be spotted by about 200 and it is expected that the contest will be close. Everybody is invited to see the game and no admission will be charged.

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RESULTS TELL.

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What better proof can be had?

Mr. Philip O'Neill, gardener, of Fifth street south, says: "There was a dull, steady ache across my loins, especially when I became a little fatigued. When I stooped to lift or set out young plants I felt it acutely. The action of my kidneys were very frequent, the secretions being highly colored, unnatural and annoying. This was a new condition for such symptoms had bothered me for years. My attention was attracted to Doan's Kidney Pills and thinking they might help me, I procured them. From the time I commenced their use I suffered no further disturbance or annoyance from my kidney complaint, the kidneys gradually assumed a regular action and the backache ceased to bother me. I therefore recommend Doan's Kidney Pills for such ailments and wish them luck."

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Remember, the name—Doan's and take no substitute.

Will Play In Europe

Miss Hecker, Women's Champion Golfer, Wants British Title Too.

Golfers everywhere, as well as the public at large, will be surprised and interested to know that Miss Genevieve Hecker, the champion woman golfer of the United States, is to compete abroad next summer for the women's premier-ship of Great Britain.

Miss Hecker will also play in the American championship contest, but as that event takes place after the



MISS GENEVIEVE HECKER AT TOP OF SWING.

transatlantic tournament she will have no trouble in arranging to appear again against her rivals on this side of the pond.

Miss Hecker went abroad on a playing tour last summer, but she did not enter any championship events, choosing to reserve her best efforts for the battle for her title awaiting her on her return.

Expert judges of golf are well aware that the feminine champion will have trouble in winning in England. She will meet half a dozen sister players that have shown remarkable ability, but that fact does not appear to frighten the young woman in the least.

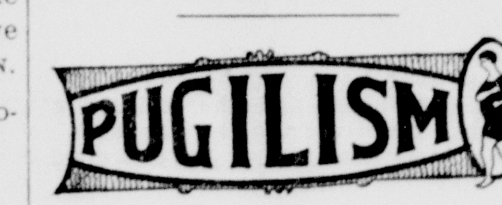


The pony pacer Woodshed, 2:09 3/4, whose usefulness on the turf is over, is now a regular on the Boston speedway.

A. B. Spreckels' two mares, Czarina, 2:13 3/4, and Venus II, 2:11 3/4, have arrived home in California safely with foal by Cresceus, 2:02 3/4.

The Indiana pacer Fred M., 2:12 3/4, by imprint, that raced over eastern half mile tracks the past season, made a profitable campaign, winning six races, five second moneys and three thirds.

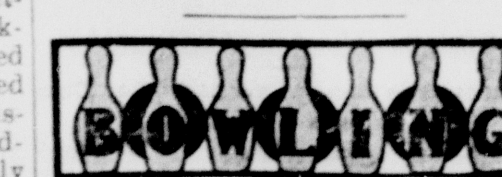
Alta McDonald says he has removed the shoes from Major Delmar and is letting him enjoy sun baths in a paddock. As the son of Del Mar and Expectation trotted to a record of 2:05 1/2 in 1902 and is without a complaining leg the prediction is freely made that he will lower in 1903 the record of The Abbot, 2:03 3/4, which is the best for a gelding. Thus far Major Delmar has proved himself a remarkable horse in the hands of McDonald.



Jimmy Britt, the plucky young Californian lightweight who defeated Frank Erne recently in San Francisco, is now seeking a match with Young Corbett. Britt says he can come down to Corbett's weight. He is confident that he can make a good showing against the Denver lad.

Sam Harris and John Considine, representing respectively Terry McGovern and Young Corbett, recently accepted the bid of the Eureka Athletic club of Baltimore for a fight to take place in the month of January. The club offered 62 1/2 per cent of the receipts, with the condition the fighters should deposit forfeits of \$5,000 each.

By the number and design of his suits of clothes Philadelphia Jack O'Brien has won the appellation "Beau Brummel of the American ring."



The national championship bowling tourney will be held in Indianapolis Feb. 16. Preparations indicate that the meet will be unusually successful.

The Indianapolis organization which is to hold the matches has deposited \$2,000 in the First National bank of the city to be expended for prizes.

It is the opinion of western bowlers that the tourney will be the biggest yet held.

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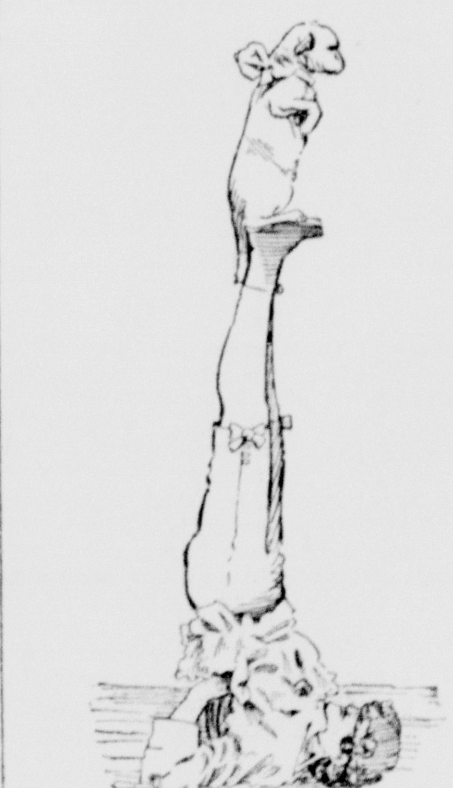
Mr. Jack Hoefler who owns the beautiful theatre at Appleton, Wis., is also manager of "Jesse James, the Bandit King", which will be the attraction at the opera house Christmas day for two performances, matinee at 2:30 and night at 8:30. The company is said to be a capable one, their scenery being from the studio of Buhler & Mann, Chicago. A number of clever specialties will be introduced throughout the play, such as singing and dancing. Also the famous Missouri Cowboy Quartette. Seats will be on sale tomorrow at 10 a. m. at Dunn's drug store. Prices for the matinee 25 and 50c.

"THE DEVIL'S AUCTION."

The attraction at the Brainerd theatre next Saturday evening, Dec. 27, is Chas. H. Yale's perennial "Devil's Auction", which is now in its twenty-first season of unbroken success.

The anniversary year will be notable for the beauty and completeness of the scenic effects and accessories, the magnificence of its costumes, the numerical and artistic strength of the company, the cleverness of the European importations and the bewildering terpsichorean features.

A decided novelty will be an entirely new transformation scene,



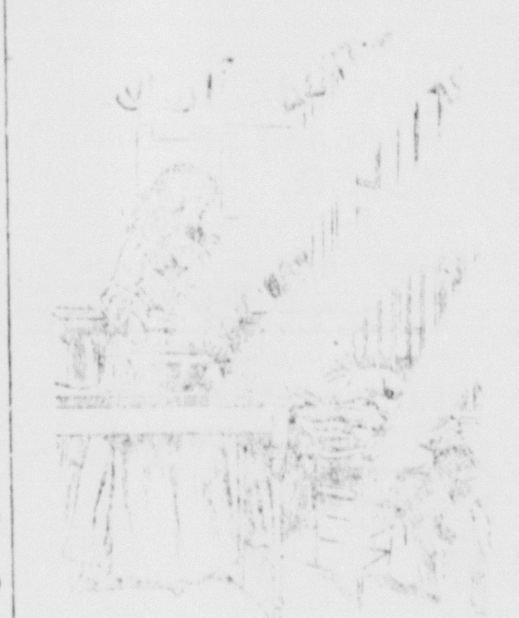
entitled "A Tribute to Our Country" which will illustrate in spectacular form and an historically correct manner, the wonders of America, which will include the Garden of the Gods in Colorado, the Mammoth cave of Kentucky, Pike's Peak, Niagara Falls, the Yosemite Valley, with its big trees, and other equally interesting places of American grandeur.

This spectacle will undoubtedly draw the largest house of the season to the Brainerd theatre.

"LOST RIVER."

The quaint rustics and rural scenery of Southern Indiana's Lost River Valley are visible in Joseph Arthur's play "Lost River." The dramatic situations have been skillfully worked into sensational climaxes, notably so in the act preceding the bicycle race effect, which is admirably handled. The mechanical effects make the illusion of the three riders going at full speed perfect, and the storm realistic to a degree. Three thoroughbred horses, three model

bicycles, a hobo quartette, a country orchestra, elaborate scenery and some sensational mechanical devices



add to the attractiveness of the play, as also does the heroine's daring ride through the tollgate at full gallop, pursued by two mounted robbers. "Lost River" will be the attraction at the Brainerd theatre soon.

OREGON SHORT LINE SALE.

Senator Clark Will Shortly Control the Road.

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 23.—Joseph Ross Clark and Thomas E. Gabbon, respectively second and third vice presidents of the San Pedro, Los Angeles and Salt Lake railroad, will go to New York to be present with W. A. Clark and R. C. Kerens in a conference with E. H. Harriman of the Union Pacific, and affiliated interests and associates. The meeting has been called for the purpose of closing the option held by Senator Clark on the 300 miles of the Oregon Short Line operated from Salt Lake City southwest toward California. The price to be paid has been stated as between \$6,000,000 and \$12,000,000, and part of the consideration, it is said, will be stocks and bonds, insuring a protective interest to the Harriman syndicate in the Clark railroad enterprise.

KENTUCKY COAL LANDS.

Said That J. P. Morgan Has Secured Control of Them.

Louisville, Dec. 23.—The Courier-Journal says:

Negotiations have practically been consummated whereby an Eastern syndicate, of which J. Pierpont Morgan is a director, has obtained control of all the coal mines and coal property west of Green River in Kentucky, except that owned by the St. Bernard Coal company. The consideration is \$8,000,000. Mr. John H. Hendrick, formerly attorney general of Kentucky, but now a resident of New York, was the agent through whom the negotiations have been conducted. He has been in Kentucky several months and will remain in Louisville until Jan. 15 attending to details of the transaction. It is claimed that a lawyer has been engaged and the deeds are being delivered.

QUICK HANDLING OF STOCK.

Trains Run From Clinton, Ia., to Chicago in Nine Hours.

Chicago, Dec. 23.—The severest test that any railroad ever gave a system of operating trains quickly and safely took place between Clinton, Ia., and Chicago, on the Northwestern road during the day, when, within nine hours, 759 cars of stock in 27 trains were run to market in Chicago.

The road has recently equipped the line with an electric block system and this enabled it to handle the business by running the trains about seventeen minutes apart. There was not a single delay or accident.

UNDER STATE CONTROL.

Manufacture of Sugar May Be Regulated in Austria.

Vienna, Dec. 23.—Bills have been introduced in the Austrian and Hungarian parliaments to make the manufacture of sugar an industry under state control. It is proposed to effect this by restricting the amount of sugar placed on the home market to 277,000 tons for Austria and 86,366 tons for Hungary, but permitting any amount of sugar to be manufactured for sale abroad.

To Be Heard in April.

Washington, Dec. 23.—The United States supreme court during the day set the case of South Dakota vs. North Carolina, involving the validity of railroad bonds guaranteed by the latter state, for hearing on April 13 next.

Hanged for Criminal Assault.

Richmond, Va., Dec. 23.—Jerry Kimbrough, convicted of criminal assault upon Mrs. Taylor of Hannover county about a month ago, was hanged at Hannover courthouse during the day. He confessed the crime.

Jewelry Store Burglarized.

Waterloo, Ia., Dec. 23.—Burglars forced an entrance into the jewelry store of Taylor & Stroebel and escaped with \$500 worth of jewels and silverware. Bloodhounds have been put on their trail.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The Very Rev. William Richard Wood Stephens, dean of Winchester, is dead.

Dr. H. S. Walrath, who has practiced medicine in St. Paul for many years, is dead, aged sixty.

Professor Baron von Kraft-Ebing of the University of Vienna, the celebrated nerve specialist, is dead at Graz-Styria.

MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Minneapolis Wheat.

Minneapolis, Dec. 22.—Wheat—Dec., 73 1/2c; May, 75 1/2c@75 3/4c. On Track—No. 1 hard, 75 1/2c; No. 1 Northern, 74 1/2c; No. 2 Northern, 73 1/2c.

Duluth Wheat and Flax.

Duluth, Dec. 22.—Wheat—Cash, No. 1 hard, 74 1/2c; No. 1 Northern, 73 1/2c; No. 2 Northern, 71 1/2c; No. 3 spring, 68 1/2c. To Arrive—No. 1 hard, 74 1/2c; No. 1 Northern, 73 1/2c; Dec., 73 1/2c; May, 76 1/2c. Flax—Cash, \$1.18 1/4.

St. Paul Union Stock Yards.

St. Paul, Dec. 22.—Cattle—Choice butcher steers, \$5.00@6.00; choice butcher cows and heifers, \$3.25@4.00; good to choice veals, \$2.60@5.00. Hogs—\$5.65@6.00. Sheep—Good to choice, \$3.50@4.25; lambs, \$4.00@5.00.

Chicago Union Stock Yards.

Chicago, Dec. 22.—Cattle—Good to prime steers, \$5.60@5.75; poor to medium, \$3.00@5.25; stockers and feeders, \$2.00@4.50; cows and heifers, \$1.25@5.00; Texas steers, \$3.75@4.75; \$1.25@5.00; mixed butchers, \$5.95@6.35; good to choice heavy, \$6.35@6.55; rough heavy, \$6.00@6.25; light, \$5.60@6.05; bulk of sales, \$5.00@6.30. Sheep—Good to choice, \$3.75@4.40; lambs, \$4.00@5.50.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, Dec. 22.—Wheat—Dec., 74 1/2c; May, 77 1/2c@77 3/4c; July, 74c. Corn—Dec., 45 1/4c; Jan., 44 1/4c; May, 42 1/4c; July, 42 1/2c. Oats—Dec., 32c; May, 32 1/2c; July, 32 1/2c. Pork—Jan., \$16.65; May, \$16.15. Flax—Cash Northwestern, \$1.23; Southwestern, \$1.15; Dec., \$1.15; May, \$1.23@1.23 1/2. Butter—Creameries, 18@28 1/2c; dairies, 17@25c. Eggs—25c. Poultry—Turkeys, 15@17 1/2c; chickens, 10c.

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